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Messrs. STUMP, ETHERIDGE and KENNEDY of Massachusetts changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. YATES and Mr. CONYERS changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ABERCROMBIE. Mr. Speaker, earlier this afternoon, when the House voted on a motion to adjourn, I was unavoidably detained. I was conducting a satellite teleconference with the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury to constituents in Honolulu discussing the financial crisis in East Asia and the International Monetary Fund. Had I been present, I would have voted no.

FURTHER PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4274, DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE). The Chair would advise that the gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER) has 24½ minutes remaining, and the gentlewoman from New York (Ms. SLAUGHTER) has 12 minutes remaining in the debate on the rule.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, moving right along in an expeditious manner, as we have been trying to throughout the day on most of the questions we have faced here, I yield 4 minutes to the distinguished gentleman from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (Mr. ISTOOK), a member on the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. ISTOOK. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the rule regarding the appropriations measure on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education.

There has been a lot of work, of course, that has gone with this bill, as there always is, this being one of the largest spending bills each year that comes before the House.

I especially want to compliment the chairman of the Subcommittee of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. PORTER). This is always a very difficult bill, bringing together, as it does, so many different issues, so much major funding. The gentleman from Illinois (Mr. PORTER) has gone to great pains to work with a large number of Members who had concerns over this measure.

I know the gentleman is personally very pleased with the additional funding for medical research through the National Institute of Health, which are in this bill, the efforts to increase the efficiency of the money that actually reaches the classroom through Federal funding for education, whether it be through different block grants and things such as impact aid. I know the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. PORTER) has been very diligent in that.

Mr. Speaker, there is one particular portion of the bill, however, that I want to make sure that I mention. A part of this bill each year involves Federal family planning funds under title 10 as it is called. In the Federal Family Planning Program of title 10, within the bill, is a measure which was adopted in the Committee on Appropriations in consultation, of course, with the authorizing committee involved to make a major reform in that particular program.

Mr. Chairman, 1½ million teenagers each year receive services under the title 10 Family Planning Program. Some of it is treatment for sexually transmitted diseases. Some of it is providing contraceptives and counseling to young people.

Since this program has been in place since 1971, however, which provides a mechanism for Federal dollars to provide contraceptives to teenagers with neither the knowledge nor consent of their parents, since that time, Mr. Speaker, the out-of-wedlock pregnancy rate among teenagers in America has doubled.

We hear a lot of talk about family involvement in major issues of our times, and certainly the rate of teenage pregnancy is one of those.

The measure adopted by the Committee on Appropriations has been desired by a great many American families for a great number of years. It says, in most simple terms, that an unemancipated minor, a teenager who is still dependent upon their parents, should not be provided contraceptives at Federal taxpayers' expense unless their parents are notified.

This does not apply to any particular other types of services. This does not, for example, say that parents have to be notified if it is some sort of emergency medical care. But if taxpayers' money is to be used to pay for future sexual activity by a teenager, this simply says that the parent ought to be notified.

As the parent of teenagers myself, Mr. Speaker, I know that they cannot receive pierced ears without parents being notified. They cannot go on field trips or get aspirins at school without parents being notified.

Yet Federal taxpayers' dollars are used to provide contraceptives to teenagers and the parents are never told. If my child were picked up for using drugs or using alcohol, I would expect to be notified.

The real tragedy is that there is not even notification for children who are below the age of consent. We have laws on the books in this State on statutory rape, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, taking indecent liberties with a minor, and so forth, and the title 10 clinics ignore those laws. They neither report violations of them to the parents nor to law enforcement authorities.

This bill has reforms in it that says they will provide notification in both of those instances. It is a very important measure to try to get parents involved in monitoring and helping with the life and the problems and the circumstances of their youth.

This measure needs to be preserved in this bill. We will have debate on measures to take it out. It is important that we keep it in.

Mr. Speaker, I urge adoption of the rule.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY).

Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong opposition to this rule, and I do so because I recognize that, while there is a political purpose being served by the use of the marshal law tactic to go in and select out one particular provision of the Labor-HHS bill and to use this chamber to then debate just that particular provision for the next few hours, what we are doing, and for political purposes because the Republicans feel they can win on that issue, but what they do not talk about are the other provisions that are hidden in this bill, provisions like eliminating the Federal Fuel Assistance Program, eliminating the program to provide summer youth jobs to hundreds of thousands of children all across our country who in the middle of summer need to go to work.

What we are not seeing is a debate about whether or not we believe as a Congress, whether the Republicans agree in the Congress, that what we ought to do is go out and cut the Federal Fuel Assistance Program, cut a program that millions of Americans count on and will count on this winter to make sure that they stay warm.

We are in a situation where we read in the newspaper about how well America is doing and how much money the wealthy in our country have made and how the unemployment rate is down and the inflation rate is down and the stock market up, until the last month or so used to be up.

But what we do not read about are the millions and millions of very poor people. We do not read about the hundreds of thousands of senior citizens that every winter hang blankets across parts of their houses because they simply cannot afford to keep those houses warm, that have to choose between having a hot meal or staying warm in their beds at night.

How many times do we have to have our elderly people suffer because they do not get enough money in Social Security? Then we turn around in this bill and cut a billion dollars out of the money, the Federal tax monies to go into this program.

My colleagues say, well, we do not have the billion dollars. I will tell them something. The money is in this bill. There is plenty of money in this bill to pay for fuel assistance. The fuel assistance program was paid for years

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from California (Ms. WOOLSEY).

(Ms. WOOLSEY asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. WOOLSEY. Mr. Speaker, this Labor-HHS appropriations bill makes me believe that some of my colleagues in the majority party would benefit from spending time back in the classroom. The numbers in this appropriations bill simply do not add up.

From Head Start through higher education and into the workplace, this bill shortchanges the vast majority of Americans.

I am most concerned about the damage done to American school children in this bill. The funds for education do not make the grade. Those of us who have done our homework know that overcrowded classrooms are one of the biggest obstacles to improving education for our children.

What parents and teachers already know is that smaller class size makes for better learning experiences and results in better grades. In fact, even the very Republican governor of my home State of California has made smaller classes a priority in our State.

But it costs money, Mr. Speaker. It costs money to reduce class size, because smaller classes mean more training and more teachers that need to be hired. Smaller classes mean building more classrooms.

This bill does nothing to help schools reduce class size. It cheats our students out of funds they need to get a good education. It deserves to fail.

This bill particularly fails teenagers. This Republican effort, Mr. Speaker, is designed to give the right wing "score card" information before the November 3 election and, in doing so, force young women to risk unwanted pregnancy and sexually transmitted disease.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I am happy to yield 1 minute to my very good friend, the gentleman from Illi-

nois (Mr. MANZULLO).

Mr. MANZULLO. Mr. Speaker, I rise in favor of the rule. It is important we pass this rule because we will have on the floor a very interesting story of a 37-year-old schoolteacher who repeatedly statutorily raped his 13-year-old student, brought her to a title 10 clinic, which gave her birth control devices, a shot of Depo-Provera in the arm which led to very serious medical consequences on her part.

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This will be an opportunity for Members of Congress to keep language that allows parents the right to be notified whenever their little girls are being given contraceptive devices.

The language that we will be asking people to support is the Istook-Barcia-Manzullo language, which is a perfecting amendment to the Castle-Greenwood amendment that will be offered on the floor.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from California (Ms. PELOSI).

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman for yielding me this time and for her leadership. I rise in opposition to the rule on the Labor-HHS-Education appropriations bill.

This is a bill that should attend to the urgent human needs and lay the building blocks for our children's and our Nation's future. But this Republican-designed bill fails on both counts.

The rule proposed today is an example of the misplaced priorities of the Republican leadership. In an effort again to appease their radical right wing, the Republican leadership is proposing a rule that caters to those who would undermine family planning and ignores all of the critical priorities contained in this bill.

Mr. Speaker, when on earth will we be awakened to what should be our priorities in this legislation and in this Congress? When we get a report that over 1 in 5 children in America lives in poverty, when we know that tens of millions of individuals cannot afford health insurance, when we see that class sizes are too large and children are struggling to learn in schools that are in need of repair, workers deserve adequate safeguards to protect them from needless injury, and what are we talking about once again on this floor? Stopping funding for family planning.

It should be the mission of this House to attend to the urgent needs of the American people and to answer the call to address inequities in education, health care and worker safety. And it is through the Labor-HHS bill that we can do this to share the benefits of prosperity with those in need.

This bill abandons our children by slashing the administration's education initiatives, including education for the disadvantaged, Head Start, and Safe and Drug-Free Schools. It abandons workers by cutting OSHA workplace safety enforcement and mine safety. It deserts young people by eliminating or severely cutting the Summer Jobs Program and Out of School Youth Opportunities. It disregards the needs of the poor by eliminating or slashing home energy assistance, LIHEAP.

Mr. Speaker, this rule and this bill is bad policy and fails to attend to today's priorities. I urge my colleagues to vote "no."

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Wilmington, Delaware (Mr. CASTLE), my very good friend.

Mr. CASTLE. Mr. Speaker, I thank the distinguished gentleman from California for yielding because he knows I am in opposition to this rule, and I am very, very strongly in opposition to it. Let me explain why I am opposed.

This has been a very controversial piece of legislation. Labor-HHS has had a lot of different aspects to it, all the way from LIHEAP to summer jobs, and a lot of people have questioned and have wanted to change it one way or another. Probably the most controversial of these items is what we are debating right here which is the amendments with regard to parental notification with respect to contraceptive drugs or devices.

As I understand it, and somebody correct me if I am wrong, essentially we are debating this rule and we are going to debate this bill, and then we are going to consider these two amendments, and we are not going to consider the rest of this bill, which is going to end up in the omnibus bill anyhow, so we are essentially down to setting up a mechanism by which we are going to vote on two very difficult amendments, and I happen to be a cosponsor of one of them, with a strong belief that it is the right way to go.

This is a heck of a way to legislate. This is a piece of legislation which has waited until little over 24 hours away the time that we are supposed to leave here and that probably would have taken 3 or 4 days on the floor if it had been done correctly, and here we are with a very truncated rule process in order to move forward on it. My judgment is it has little to do with being prochoice or prolife or anything of those things, it is a process question that we have here.

I hope that everybody in this Congress will step forward and oppose this rule. This simply is not a good way to do business. It is what happens at the end of sessions such as this, and this is a shining example of the wrong way to proceed.

So I would encourage each and every one of us, when the time comes for this vote, to come over here and to vote "no" on this rule, end this bill, and let happen what is going to happen, and that is it will be rolled into the omnibus bill and the appropriations which have to be done, hopefully will be done, that way.

Ms. ŠLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from Texas (Ms. JACKSON-LEE).

(Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. JACKSON-LÉE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman from New York for yielding me this

This is always a very difficult decision or decisions, plural, because this bill deals with Americans who are in pain. It deals with senior citizens, it deals with the mentally disabled, it deals with teenagers who are sexually abused by a parent or loved one and who are looking for relief if out of that sexual abuse comes an impregnation.

Yet now we come to the floor with the most acrimonious and destructive rule that I could imagine in these last waning hours of this Congress.

Today I engaged in a very painful debate, because it was my job. I came back from that debate and voted to adjourn this House, something that I rarely do. And I did so because my constituents in Texas, some 32 of them died this summer in the most intense heat we had ever been impacted by or felt.

This rule would eliminate the dollars used to help air-condition or heat the homes of poor senior citizens, those of my constituents in Texas who would have died if not for that money. This devastates the LIHEAP monies for sen-

ior citizens and the infirm.

This as well devastates the kind of work we have done to keep teenagers off the streets in the hot summer and takes summer jobs money away from hardworking, deserving teenagers who use that money to supplement their family's income, and then it takes Goals 2000, a program that goes into rural and inner-city schools and slashes it 50 percent, schools that depend upon these matching dollars to lift their scores and give incentives to their children that come many times from broken homes.

This is an abuse of power. This is an offensive rule, and it should be de-

feated.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Texas (Mr. GREEN).

(Mr. GREEN asked and was given permission to revise and extend his re-

marks.)

Mr. GREEN. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman from New York for allowing me to rise in opposition to this bill and the rule.

grosslv This appropriations bill underfunds our national priority of providing the best public education for each and every child. There is not enough time left in this 105th Congress to talk about how bad this bill is. Let me just try to hit some of the high-

lights.

Goals 2000, an education program that started with President Bush and continued under this President, is cut 50 percent from last year's funding level. The School-to-Work program is cut by \$250 million. The America Reads program is eliminated. In addition to these extremist cuts, my Republican colleagues want to deny initial funding to many other important education programs.

Funds for Title I grants are frozen, cutting the administration's request by \$437 million, denying over a half a million students in high poverty communities the extra help they need to master the basic courses. Funding for College Work Study is cut by \$50 million below the administration's request, denying 57,000 needy students college work study awards. Head Start is cut by \$160 million below the administration's request, denying slots to 25,000 low-income children.

Mr. Speaker, we have worked hard in Houston to ensure that we have the best Head Start program possible. We have three new providers now, and by collaborating with our public schools, we can truly give our children a real head start on life, but we cannot by short-circuiting and not providing the funding. We have made great strides, but additional funds are needed to meet the overwhelming need in the Head Start program.

The Republican approach to education is a wrong approach, and I think it is an approach that the American people do not want. That is why I urge my colleagues to vote down this shortsighted bill.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I vield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from New York (Mrs. LOWEY).

(Mrs. LOWEY asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. LOWEY. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman for yielding me this time.

Mr. Speaker, last year I was proud to stand on the House floor and work hard with our distinguished chairman and good friend, the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. PORTER), to pass a bipartisan Labor-HHS-Education spending bill. I frankly am sad and disgusted that today we are called here at the last minute to debate a phoney rule on the same bill designed by the Republican leadership simply as a pre-election gift to their right wing.

This rule is a sham designed for one purpose and one purpose only: to give opponents of family planning a procedural advantage in a vote on their provision which was defeated on the House

floor 2 years in a row.

It is my understanding that after the gentleman from Oklahoma ISTOOK) gets his antifamily planning vote, we will simply rise and discontinue debate on this important bill with its key education and health care programs.

I strongly urge my colleagues to vote down this bogus rule. Because the Republican leadership could not get an agreement to bring up the bill under a fair rule, the bill did not come up. Week after week went by and still no Labor-HHS appropriations bill. Now, 1 day before target adjournment, the bill is brought up suddenly and under a fake rule that is not about policy, but about election year politics.

If the rule does pass, then I urge my colleagues to support the Greenwood-Castle substitute and oppose the Istook second degree amendment.

The Istook second degree contains the same language restricting teenagers' access to Title X family planning services which was defeated on the House floor just last year. This parental consent restriction will deny vulnerable teens the contraceptive services they need to avoid pregnancy, HIV and STDs.

Last year's attack on the Title X program failed because a majority of Members understood that denying teens access to family planning does not promote abstinence. I only wish it were that simple. Instead, Members understand that the Istook language will increase STDs and HIV infections, unintended pregnancies and abortions.

I urge my colleagues to support the Greenwood-Castle substitute. it takes the responsible, sensible route, and defeat this sham rule.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, may I inquire of the Chair how much time is remaining on both sides?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER) has 171/2 minutes remaining; the gentlewoman from New York (Ms. SLAUGH-TER) has 30 seconds remaining.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, we have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

I would urge my colleagues to vote in favor of this rule. We have already voted on the rule itself. This is a minor modification that was made to consider those two amendments numbered 2 and 3. There are a number of Members on our side who hope very much to have a debate on that question. We will be proceeding with funding in a wide range of other areas, and so I hope that we can proceed with this as quickly as possible and get to this appropriations work.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time, and I move the previous question on the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule XV, the Chair will reduce to a minimum of 5 minutes the period of time within which a vote by electronic device, if ordered, will be taken on the question of agreeing to the resolution.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 224, nays 201, not voting 9, as follows:

[Roll No. 500] YEAS-224

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Mr. ACKERMAN changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. EHRLICH and Mr. changed their vote from "nay" ʻyea.

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER THE VOTE OFFERED BY MS. FURSE

Ms. FURSE. Mr. Speaker, I move to reconsider the vote on the previous question.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE). Did the gentlewoman from Oregon vote on the prevailing side in ordering the previous question?

Ms. FURSE. Yes, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman qualifies.

MOTION TO TABLE OFFERED BY MR. DELAY

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I move to table the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Oregon (Ms. FURSE).

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. DELAY) to table the motion to reconsider the vote offered by the gentlewoman from Oregon (Ms. FURSE).

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Ms. FURSE. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 15-minute vote, followed by a 5-minute vote on passage of the resolu-

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 231, noes 197, not voting 6, as follows:

[Roll No. 501] AYES-231

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Hoyer	Mink	Stupak
Jackson (IL)	Moakley	Tanner
Jackson-Lee	Mollohan	Tauscher
(TX)	Moran (VA)	Thompson
Jefferson	Murtha	Thurman
John	Nadler	Tierney
Johnson (WI)	Neal	Torres
Johnson, E. B.	Oberstar	Towns
Kanjorski	Obey	Traficant
Kaptur	Olver	Turner
Kennedy (MA)	Ortiz	Velazquez
Kennedy (RI)	Owens	Vento
Kildee	Pallone	Visclosky
Kilpatrick	Pascrell	Waters
Kind (WI)	Pastor	Watt (NC)
Kleczka	Payne	Waxman
Klink	Pelosi	Wexler
Kucinich	Peterson (MN)	Weygand
LaFalce	Pickett	Wise
Lampson	Pomeroy	Woolsey
Lantos	Price (NC)	Wynn
Lee	Rahall	Yates
Levin	Rangel	
Lewis (GA)	Reyes	
	NOT VOTING-	-6
Andrews	Kennelly	Pryce (OH)
Buyer	McDade	Whitfield
<i>y</i>		
	□ 1806	

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Mr. BARR of Georgia changed his vote from "no" to "aye."

So the motion to table the motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE). The question is on the resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 214, noes 209, answered "present" 1, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 502]

AYES-214

Aderholt Bateman Burr Burton Archer Bereuter Armey Bilirakis Callahan Bliley Bachus Calvert Blunt Baker Camp Ballenger Boehner Campbell Barcia Bonilla Canady Barr Bono Cannon Brady (TX) Barrett (NE) Chabot Bartlett Bryant Chambliss Bunning Chenoweth Barton

Hulshof Christensen Coble Hunter Coburn Hutchinson Collins Hyde Inglis Combest Condit Istook Cook Jenkins Cooksey Johnson, Sam Crane Crapo Kasich Cubin Kelly Cunningham Kildee Davis (VA) Kim King (NY) Deal DeLay Diaz-Balart Kingston Knollenberg Dickey LaHood Doolittle Largent Dreier Latham Duncan LaTourette Dunn Lewis (CA) Lewis (KY) Ehlers Emerson Linder English Livingston LoBiondo Ensign Everett Lucas Manzullo Ewing McCollum Fawell McCrery Foley Forbes McInnis Fossella McIntosh Fowler McKeon Fox Metcalf Frelinghuysen Mica Moran (KS) Gallegly Gekas Murtha Gibbons Myrick Gillmor Nethercutt Gingrich Neumann Northup Goode Goodlatte Norwood Nussle Goodling Goss Ortiz Graham Oxley Packard Granger Greenwood Pappas Gutknecht Parker Hall (OH) Paul Hall (TX) Paxon Hansen Pease Peterson (MN) Hastert Hastings (WA) Peterson (PA) Hayworth Petri Hefley Pickering Herger Hill Pitts Pombo Hilleary Porter Hobson Portman Hoekstra Quinn Radanovich Hostettler

NOES-209

Rahall

Houghton

Costello

Abercrombie Covne Gordon Cramer Ackerman Green Allen Cummings Gutierrez Andrews Danner Hamilton Davis (FL) Baesler Harman Hastings (FL) Baldacci Davis (IL) Barrett (WI) DeFazio Hefner Hilliard DeGette Bass Becerra Delahunt Hinchey DeLauro Bentsen Hinoiosa Berman Deutsch Holden Berry Dicks Hooley Bilbray Dingell Horn Bishop Dixon Hoyer Blagojevich Jackson (IL) Doggett Blumenauer Dovle Jackson-Lee Boehlert Edwards (TX) Bonior Ehrlich Jefferson Borski John Engel Johnson (CT) Johnson (WI) Boswell Eshoo Etheridge Boucher Johnson, E. B Boyd Evans Brady (PA) Farr Fattah Kanjorski Brown (CA) Kaptur Kennedy (MA) Brown (FL) Filner Ford Brown (OH) Kennedy (RI) Frank (MA) Capps Kilpatrick Cardin Franks (NJ) Kind (WI) Carson FrostKleczka Castle Furse Klink Clay Ganske Klug Clayton Gejdenson Kolbe Clement Gephardt Kucinich Clyburn Gilchrest LaFalce Gilman Lampson Conyers

Gonzalez

Lazio

Morella Sherman Nadler Sisisky Lee Levin Neal Skaggs Lewis (GA) Ney Oberstar Slaughter Smith, Adam Lipinski Lofgren Obey Snyder Luther Olver Spratt Owens Stabenow Maloney (CT) Maloney (NY) Pallone Stark Manton Pascrell Stokes Strickland Markey Pastor Mascara Payne Stupak Matsui Pelosi Tanner McCarthy (MO) Tauscher Pickett McCarthy (NY) Pomerov Thompson McDermott Poshard Thurman Price (NC) Tierney McHale Ramstad Torres McHugh Rangel Towns McIntyre Reyes Traficant McKinney Rivers Turner McNulty Rodriguez Upton Meehan Velazquez Meek (FL) Rothman Vento Meeks (NY) Roybal-Allard Visclosky Waters Watt (NC) Menendez Rush Millender-Sabo McDonald Sanchez Waxman Miller (CA) Miller (FL) Sanders Sandlin Wexler Weygand Minge Sawyer Wise Mink Schumer Woolsey Moakley Scott Wynn Mollohan Serrano Moran (VA) Shays ANSWERED "PRESENT"-1

Walsh

NOT VOTING-11

Buyer Kennelly McDade
Cox Lantos Pryce (OH)
Dooley Lowey Yates

□ 1820

Mr. MOLLOHAN and Mr. HOLDEN changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

Messrs. LIVINGSTON, PORTER and BONILLA, Mrs. KELLY and Mr. SHAW changed their vote from "present" to "aye."

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE). Without objection, the motion to reconsider is laid on the table

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I object.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Objection is heard.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER THE VOTE OFFERED BY MR. DREIER

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I move to reconsider the vote.

MOTION TO TABLE OFFERED BY MR. PORTMAN

Mr. PORTMAN. Mr. Speaker, I move to lay on the table the motion to reconsider.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. PORTMAN) to table the motion to reconsider the vote offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER).

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 230, noes 192, not voting 12, as follows:

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Etheridge

[Roll No. 503]

AYES-230

Aderholt Gillmor Parker Archer Gilman Paul Armey Goode Paxon Goodlatte Bachus Pease Goodling Peterson (MN) Baker Peterson (PA) Ballenger Goss Graham Barcia Petri Granger Pickering Barrett (NE) Greenwood Pitts Bartlett Gutknecht Pombo Hall (OH) Hall (TX) Barton Porter Bass Portman Bateman Hansen Quinn . Radanovich Bereuter Bilbray Hastert Hastings (WA) Ramstad Bilirakis Hayworth Redmond Blagojevich Hefley Regula Riggs Bliley Herger Blunt Hill Rilev Hilleary Boehlert Rogan Hobson Boehner Rogers Hoekstra Rohrabacher Bonilla Bono Horn Ros-Lehtinen Roukema Brady (TX) Hostettler Houghton Bryant Royce Bunning Hulshof Ryun Salmon Burr Hunter Burton Hutchinson Sanford Callahan Hyde Saxton Scarborough Calvert Inglis Camp Istook Schaefer, Dan Campbell Schaffer, Bob Sensenbrenner Jenkins Canady Johnson (CT) Cannon Jones Sessions Castle Kasich Shadegg Chabot Shaw Chambliss Kildee Shays Shimkus Chenoweth Kim Christensen King (NY) Shuster Coble Kingston Skeen Coburn Klug Knollenberg Smith (MI) Collins Smith (NJ) Combest Kolbe Smith (OR) LaHood Cook Smith (TX) Cooksey Largent Smith, Linda Cox Latham Snowbarger LaTourette Solomon Crane Lazio Souder Crapo Cubin Leach Spence Cunningham Lewis (CA) Stearns Davis (VA) Lewis (KY) Stenholm Deal Linder Stump Sununu DeLay Livingston Dickey LoBiondo Talent Doolittle Lucas Tauzin Dreier Manzullo Taylor (MS) Duncan McCollum Taylor (NC) Dunn McCrerv Thomas Thornberry McHugh Ehlers Ehrlich McInnis Thune McIntosh Tiahrt Emerson English McKeon Upton Ensign Metcalf Walsh Wamp Everett Mica Watkins Watts (OK) Miller (FL) Ewing Foley Moran (KS) Weldon (FL) Morella Forbes Weldon (PA) Fossella Myrick Nethercutt Fowler Weller White Neumann Fox Franks (NJ) Ney Northup Whitfield Frelinghuysen Wicker Gallegly Norwood Wilson Ganske Nussle Wolf Young (AK) Gekas Oxlev Packard Young (FL) Gibbons Gilchrest Pappas

NOES-192

Abercrombie Cummings Boyd Brady (PA) Ackerman Danner Davis (FL) Allen Brown (CA) Andrews Davis (IL) Brown (FL) Brown (OH) Baesler DeFazio Baldacci Capps DeGette Barrett (WI) Cardin Delahunt Becerra Carson DeLauro Bentsen Clay Deutsch Dicks Dingell Berman Clayton Berry Clement Bishop Clyburn Dixon Blumenauer Condit Doggett Doyle Bonior Convers Costello Edwards Borski Engel Eshoo Boswell Coyne Boucher Cramer

Lowey Luther Evans Rodriguez Farr Maloney (CT) Roemer Fattah Maloney (NY) Rothman Roybal-Allard Filner Manton Ford Markey Rush Frank (MA) Mascara Sabo Sanchez Matsui Frost Furse McCarthy (MO) Sanders Gejdenson McCarthy (NY) Sandlin McDermott Gephardt Sawyer Gonzalez McGovern Schumer Gordon McHale Scott McIntyre Serrano Green McKinney Gutierrez Sherman McNulty Sisisky Hamilton Hastings (FL) Meehan Skaggs Meek (FL) Hefner Skelton Hilliard Meeks (NY) Slaughter Hinchey Menendez Smith, Adam Hinojosa Holden Millender-Snyder McDonald Spratt Hooley Miller (CA) Stabenow Hoyer Jackson (IL) Minge Stark Mink Stokes Jackson-Lee Moakley Strickland (TX) Mollohan Stupak Jefferson Moran (VA) Tanner John Murtha Tauscher Johnson (WI) Nadler Thompson Thurman Johnson, E. B. Neal Kanjorski Oberstan Tierney Obev Kaptur Torres Kennedy (MA) Olver Towns Kennedy (RI) Ortiz Traficant Kilpatrick Owens Turner Kind (WI) Pallone Velazquez Kleczka Pascrell Vento Klink Pastor Visclosky Kucinich Payne Waters Watt (NC) LaFalce Pelosi Pickett Lampson Waxman Lantos Pomeroy Wexler Lee Poshard Weygand Levin Wise Price (NC) Lewis (GA) Rahall Woolsey Lipinski Rangel Wynn Lofgren Reyes

NOT VOTING-12

Buyer Fazio Martinez Diaz-Balart Harman McDade Dooley Johnson, Sam Pryce (OH) Fawell Kennelly Yates

□ 1841

So the motion to table was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE **SENATE**

A further message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2281) "An Act to amend title 17, United States Code, to implement the World Intellectual Property Organization Copyright Treaty and Performances and Phonograms Treaty, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3694) "An Act to authorize appro-

priations for fiscal year 1999 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.".

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4194) "An Act making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 2206) "An Act to amend the Head Start Act, the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981, and the Community Services Block Grant Act to reauthorize and make improvements to those Acts, to establish demonstration projects that provide an opportunity for persons with limited means to accumulate assets, and for other purposes.".

REMOVAL OF NAMES OF MEM-BERS AS COSPONSORS OF H.R.

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that on H.R. 4567, because of clerical error, the names of gentleman from Maine (Mr. ALLEN), the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. OBERSTAR), and the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. STUPAK) be removed as cosponsors.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

LIMITATION OF TIME FOR DEBATE ON CERTAIN AMENDMENTS 4274, DEPARTMENTS LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIA-TIONS ACT, 1999

Mr. LIVINGSTON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that during consideration of H.R. 4274 that debate time allotted to amendments numbered 2 and 3 in House Report 105-762, pursuant to H. Res. 584, be limited to 16 minutes each, equally divided.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Louisiana?

Mr. OBEY. Reserving the right to object, Mr. Speaker, I just want to make certain that I understand what the last two words mean.

It is my understanding that if the time is equally divided, that means